

Abraham Flexner

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Collection Summary

Title: Papers of Abraham Flexner

Span Dates: 1865-1989

Bulk Dates: (bulk 1900-1959)

ID No.: MSS20834

Creator: Flexner, Abraham, 1866-1959

Extent: 12,500 items; 35 containers; 14 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Educational reformer and author. Correspondence, research files, speeches and writings, and miscellany pertaining to Abraham Flexner's work in medical education and administration of educational foundations.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Names:

Flexner, Abraham, 1866-1959
Bamberger, Louis, 1855-1944--Correspondence
Barrett, John D., 1903-1981--Correspondence
Bluestone, E. Michael (Ephraim Michael), 1891-1979--Correspondence
Bosworth, Welles, 1869-1966--Correspondence
Boyd, W. R. (William Robert), 1864-1950--Correspondence
Buttrick, Wallace, 1853-1926--Correspondence
Cairns, Huntington, 1904- --Correspondence
Clark, Evans--Correspondence
Courant, Richard, 1888-1972--Correspondence
Cullen, Thomas Stephen, 1868-1953--Correspondence
Dodds, Harold W. (Harold Willis), 1889-1980--Correspondence
Einstein, Albert, 1879-1955--Correspondence
Flexner, Anne Crawford, 1874-1955--Correspondence
Flexner, Bernard, 1865-1945--Correspondence
Flexner, Eleanor, 1908- --Correspondence
Flexner, Hortense, 1885- --Correspondence
Flexner, James Thomas, 1908- --Correspondence
Flexner, Jean Atherton--Correspondence
Fosdick, Raymond Blaine, 1883- --Correspondence
Getty, Robert J. (Robert John)--Correspondence
Gottmann, Jean--Correspondence
Hanus, Paul H. (Paul Henry), b. 1855--Correspondence
Haskins, Caryl Parker, 1908- --Correspondence
Hyde, James Hazen, 1876-1959--Correspondence
Learned, William S. (William Setchel), 1876-1950--Correspondence
Lehman, Herbert H. (Herbert Henry), 1878-1963--Correspondence
Lindbergh, Charles A. (Charles Augustus), 1902-1974--Correspondence
Lowe, E. A. (Elias Avery), 1879-1969--Correspondence
Mantoux, Paul, 1877-1956--Correspondence
Markham, Violet R. (Violet Rosa)--Correspondence
McKittrick, Thomas H.--Correspondence
Mellon, Paul--Correspondence
Meritt, Benjamin Dean, 1899- --Correspondence
Nevins, Allan, 1890-1971--Correspondence
Rockefeller, John D. (John Davison), 1874-1960--Correspondence

Rosenwald, Julius, 1862-1932--Correspondence
 Rosenwald, Lessing J. (Lessing Julius), 1891-1979--Correspondence
 Rusk, Dean, 1909- --Correspondence
 Sedgwick, Ellery, 1872-1960--Correspondence
 Welch, William Henry, 1850-1934--Correspondence
 Weyl, Hermann, 1885-1955--Correspondence
 Woodward, E. L. (Ernest Llewellyn), Sir, 1890- --Correspondence
 United States. Light-House Board
 Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching
 Ford Foundation--Correspondence
 General Education Board (New York, N.Y.)
 Pritchett, Henry S. (Henry Smith), 1857-1939. Correspondence of Henry S. Pritchett (1901-1910)

Subjects:

Education
 Educational change
 Medical education--Canada
 Medical education--United States
 Research

Occupations:

Authors
 Educators
 Reformers

Administrative Information

Provenance:

The papers of Abraham Flexner, educational reformer and author, were given to the Library of Congress by Flexner in 1954. Additional material was given by Flexner's daughters, Eleanor Flexner and Jean Flexner Lewinson, from 1961 to 1990. The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching gave additional items to the Library in 1965.

Processing History:

The papers of Abraham Flexner were organized in 1965. Additional material given in 1974 was processed in 1984. Unprocessed restricted material given in 1961 and items received between 1986 and 1990 were incorporated into the collection in 2000.

Copyright Status:

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Biographical Note

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Event</i> |
|---------------|--|
| 1866, Nov. 13 | Born, Louisville, Ky. |
| 1886 | B.A., Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md. Appointed teacher, Louisville High School, Louisville, Ky. |
| 1890-1905 | Established and directed college preparatory school, Louisville, Ky. |

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| 1898 | Married Anne Laziere Crawford (died 1959) |
| 1906 | M.A., Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. |
| 1907-1908 | Studied at the University of Berlin, Berlin, Germany |
| 1908 | Published <i>The American College: A Criticism</i> (New York: The Century Co. 237 pp.) Joined the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching |
| 1910 | Published <i>Medical Education in the United States and Canada</i> (New York: Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. 346 pp.) |
| 1913-1925 | Assistant secretary and secretary, General Education Board |
| 1925-1928 | Director, Division of Studies and Medical Education, General Education Board |
| 1928 | Delivered Rhodes Trust memorial lectures, Oxford, England |
| 1930-1939 | Director, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, N.J. |
| 1940-1959 | Director emeritus, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, N.J. |
| 1952 | Published with the collaboration of Esther S. Bailey <i>Funds and Foundations: Their Policies Past and Present</i> (New York: Harper & Bros. 146 pp.) |
| 1959, Sept. 21 | Died, Falls Church, Va. |

Scope and Content Note

The papers of Abraham Flexner (1866-1959) span the years 1865-1989 with the bulk of the material concentrated in the period 1900-1959. The collection is organized into the following series: [Correspondence](#), [Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching](#), [Miscellany](#), and [Addition](#).

The [Correspondence File](#) includes family and general correspondence. Family correspondence consists primarily of Flexner's letters to his wife, playwright Anne Crawford Flexner, and their daughters Jean Atherton Flexner and Eleanor Flexner. General correspondence includes letters exchanged with a wide range of correspondents reflecting Flexner's activities in educational reform and his work with foundations to expand research and educational opportunities. Significant and frequent correspondents include Louis Bamberger, John D. Barrett, E. Michael Bluestone, Welles Bosworth, W. R. Boyd, Wallace Buttrick, Huntington Cairns, Evans Clark, Richard Courant, Thomas S. Cullen, Harold W. Dodds, Albert Einstein, Bernard Flexner, Raymond Blaine Fosdick, Robert J. Getty, Jean Gottmann, Paul H. Hanus, Caryl Parker Haskins, James Hazen Hyde, William S. Learned, Herbert H. Lehman, Charles A. Lindbergh, E. A. Lowe, Paul Mantoux, Violet R. Markham, Thomas H. McKittrick, Benjamin Dean Meritt, Allan Nevins, John D. Rockefeller (1874-1960), Julius Rosenwald, Dean Rusk, Ellery Sedgwick, William Henry Welch, Hermann Weyl, and Sir E. L. Woodward.

The [Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching](#) series contains material pertaining to Flexner's work with the foundation and includes research files for his work, *Medical Education in the United States and Canada* (1910). Impressed with Flexner's critical writings on higher education, Carnegie Foundation president Henry S. Pritchett hired Flexner in 1908 to study and report on the status of education in the medical profession. Significant for its frank and unflattering appraisal of medical training, the report effected numerous changes in medical schools and established Flexner as an authority in the field. The [medical education files](#) include correspondence, reports, and notes relating to the universities and schools Flexner examined. The [general correspondence](#) chiefly documents Flexner's continuing relations with the foundation after he had been appointed secretary of the General Education Board, an educational fund created by John D. Rockefeller (1839-1937). The series also includes correspondence of Henry S. Pritchett pertaining to his service as a

civilian representative on the [Light-House Board of the Department of Commerce and Labor](#) from 1901 to 1910. Flexner published *Henry S. Pritchett: A Biography* in 1943. Pritchett's papers are also in the Manuscript Division. The [Addition](#) series has extensive family correspondence and includes letters between Flexner and his wife and daughters. The correspondence is mostly personal with occasional discussions of world and national politics, literary publications, cultural events, and research projects. Correspondents include Bernard Flexner, Hortense Flexner, and James Thomas Flexner. A small group of general correspondence primarily from Flexner's retirement years documents his undiminished interest in educational foundations and their activities. Significant and frequent correspondents include the Ford Foundation, Paul Mellon, Lessing J. Rosenwald, and Sir E. L. Woodward. A speeches and writings file contains printed and typescript versions of articles and lectures, a memoir of the Flexner family, and writings about Flexner.

Organization of the Papers

The collection is arranged in four series:

- [Correspondence File, 1876-1961, n.d.](#)
- [Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, 1873-1935, n.d.](#)
- [Miscellany, 1865-1962, n.d.](#)
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Description of Series

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| BOX 18-19 | <u>General Correspondence, 1909-1935</u> Letters received and copies of letters sent. Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent and chronologically thereunder. |
| BOX 19-24 | <u>Medical Education File, 1873-1912, n.d. See also Container 13, same heading</u> Correspondence, reports, notes, and printed matter. Arranged alphabetically by name of institution and chronologically thereunder. |
| BOX 24-25 | <u>Light-House Board, United States Department of Commerce and Labor, 1901-1910</u> Letters received and copies of letters sent by Henry S. Pritchett. Arranged chronologically. |
| BOX 25-26 | <u>Miscellany, 1865-1962, n.d.</u> Writings, birthday greetings, family papers, testimonials, photographs, clippings, and printed matter. Arranged alphabetically by type of material or topic. |
| BOX 27-35 | <u>Addition, 1888-1989, n.d.</u> Family and general correspondence and speeches and writings, including articles, lectures, contracts, notebooks, and printed matter. Correspondence including letters received and copies of letters sent is arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent and chronologically thereunder. Speeches and writings file is arranged alphabetically by type of material and chronologically thereunder. |

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